



## National Daily Base Lean Hog Carcass Slaughter Cost

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This report includes: Volume, Weighted Average Carcass Weight, and Base Cost for 11/13/2023

Base Cost (Packer Buying Programs)						
Date	Volume Head Count	Avg Carcass Weight	Backfat (Inches) Percent Lean	1.00-1.09 49-50%	0.80-0.99 51-52%	0.65-0.79 53-54%
11/13/23	67,021	212.45		72.58	74.41	76.19
11/10/23	113,614	213.71		72.52	74.38	76.16
11/09/23	75,991	213.58		72.08	73.98	75.82
11/08/23	71,406	211.73		73.14	75.00	76.80
11/07/23	78,324	212.96		73.26	75.11	76.91
11/06/23	67,075	210.98		72.47	74.35	76.19

### WEEKLY NATIONAL DAILY BASE LEAN HOG CARCASS SLAUGHTER COST

For Week Ended:

11/10/23	406,410	212.74		72.68	74.55	76.36
10/20/23	410,515	211.60		76.07	77.94	79.75
11/18/22	416,555	213.78		84.28	86.16	87.97

### MONTHLY NATIONAL DAILY BASE LEAN HOG CARCASS SLAUGHTER COST

For: October 2023

1,759,943	211.02		76.62	78.49	80.30
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The values in the base cost lean calculations are determined by individual packer's lean value buying programs, which are based on the backfat and loin depth both measured at the 10th rib.

Calculations include Producer Sold negotiated and swine or pork market formula and Packer Sold negotiated and swine or pork market formula data from the National Prior Day Slaughtered Swine Report (LM\_HG201).

Monthly total and weighted averages represent slaughtered hogs reported for the month.

Values reflect U.S. dollars per 100 pounds.